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**Beef**

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prw/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119	494655	123.76	3.12
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80	201582	135.11	2.71
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25	2529197	160.23	8.14
120	Brisket	6-14	2510747	105.58	-3.30
123A	Short Rib	1-4	176080	106.49	9.40
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85	75248	140.65	2.02
161	Round, Bnls	42-80	155112	150.13	2.25
168	Inside Round	14-26	2238858	141.46	-1.08
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33	107086	145.85	3.63
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		2512127	122.55	0.50
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		160786	150.22	4.89
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
	Boneless Chuck 85%			131.27	0.03
	Top Inside Round	12-16		178.84	-1.01
Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh					
	90% Chemical Lean		2177649	136.09	1.04
	50% Chemical Lean		5719196	50.90	1.83

**Pork**

Pork Loins, Fresh ¼" Trim	21 lbs/dn	21.5	114.74	-4.14
Boston Butt, Fresh ¼" Trim	5-10 lbs	38.0	89.80	0.46
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs	3.5	122.86	-3.39
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs	5.0	68.80	1.80
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs	16.0	66.69	-1.46
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs	4.0	90.00	-2.00
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs	2.0	88.00	-2.00
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		2.0	68.00	--
72% Chemical Lean		16.0	59.16	2.47

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



**Dairy Market News  
Madison, WI  
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**Butter**

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
1.6500-1.7200	1.6650-1.7350

**American Cheese**

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.6375-1.9700	1.6325-1.9700

**Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price – 19-Aug-05**

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, September

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
1.1780	-0.0636	-0.0206

**Broiler/Fryers**

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered  
New York 70.48 Chicago 69.73 Los Angeles 80.52

**Parts Bulk**

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound  
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 141.33 Leg Quarters 46.10  
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 144.93 Leg Quarters 45.47

**Young Turkeys**

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Lb., Delivered  
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs  
Eastern 78.44 77.41  
Central 79.50 79.60  
Western 83.00 77.25

**Table Eggs**

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen  
Northeast 71.00 Metropolitan Areas  
Southeast 69.50 New York 78.00-82.00  
Midwest 58.50 Chicago & MW 63.00-72.00  
S. Central 70.50 S. California 87.00-90.00

**Egg Products**

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Tucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound  
Whole 35.00 Whites 18.00-19.00 Yolks 61.00-67.00  
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb  
Whole Eggs Whites  
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot) 52.00-59.00 38.00-53.00  
Central 46.00-48.00 33.00-35.00  
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot) 51.00-54.00 39.00-42.00  
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container (Range)  
Whole 1.30-1.80 Yolks 1.55-1.90 Blends 1.24-1.70



**Fruit & Vegetable Market News  
Washington, DC  
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**Fruits**

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFcy, Containers Tray Pack, 100s Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA controlled atmosphere storage 10.50  
Pears, Bartlett, USOne, 4/5 bushel carton (44lb) wrapped, Mendocino Lake County, CA 20.00  
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, medium-large, Salinas-Watsonville CA 9.90  
Oranges, Valencia Shippers 1<sup>st</sup> Grade, 7/10 bushel cartons, 113s, Central & South District CA 10.00  
Peachs, Various Yellow Flesh Varieties CA Well Matured cartons 2 layer traypack, Central and South San Joaquin Valley  
40-42 size 11.00  
48-50 size 11.00

**Vegetables**

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 7.25  
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA 9.85  
Celery, 2 ½ doz ctns, Santa Maria CA 7.18  
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 6.80  
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 11/9 bushel cartons, large, Michigan San Joaquin Valley CA 10.43  
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, U.S. One, 25 lb. Cts, 6x6, Michigan Central District CA large 11.50  
Onions, Yellow Grano, Jumbo, 50 lb Sacks, North & East Points Colorado 8.70  
Spanish Hybrid, ID and Malheur County, OR 10.00  
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, U.S. One, 50lb ctns, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls, Burley District and Western ID 11.50

**Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.**